PROVINCIAL COURT PROCEEDINGS

1679

Att a Provinciall Court held att the City of St Maryes the seventh Liber W. C. day of October in the fourth yeare of the Dominion of the Right p. r Honble Charles Lord Baltemore &c Annog Doni One thousand six hundred Seventy nine, and there continued untill the sixteenth day of the same Month, on which said Seventh day of Octobr were prsent

The Honble

Philip Calvert Esqr Chancelour W^m Calvert Esq^r Principall Secretary
Vincent Lowe Esq^r Surveyo^r Gen^{ll} Lievtenant Cof Henry Darnall

Nic: Painter Cf

Thomas Bland | Peter Pagan of London Marryner als Peter Pagan of the Province of Maryland Mrchant was Attached agt Peter Pagan to Answer unto Thomas Bland one of the Attorneys of the Provinciall Court according to the libertyes and priviledges of such like Attorneys & other Officers of the said Court used and allowed of a plea of trespas upon the case.

And whereupon the said Thomas Bland in his proper person saith, that whereas the said Peter Pagan the twenty third day of October one thousand six hundred Seventy six att Severne river in the County of Ann Arundell att the dwelling house of the said Thomas Bland, in consideracon that the said Thomas Bland would permitt & suffer one certaine Robert Peake Mrchant to come on Shoare to the said Blands house with a Cargoe of sundry Goods Wares Mrchandize[s] and Comodityes together with Eight Servants, & furnish the said Robert Peake with a store to sell the said Goods in and accomodacon of dyet & lodging for the said Eight Servants untill such tyme as they should be disposed of. And also provide & finde for the said Robert Peake sufficient dyett washing & lodging dureing such tyme as he should keepe store att the house of the said Bland And also furnish and sell unto the said Peter one Ox for provisions for his Seam[en] and one boate about fourteene foot by the Keele, the said Peter did assume upon himselfe & to the said Thomas did faithfully promise, that he the said Peter for the storeidg[e] of the said Robert, and also the dyet & accomodacon of the said Robert whilst he should keepe store att his house And the said Eight Servants untill they should be disposed of And also for the said ox & boate to him the said Thomas what the same should be worth and reasonably deserve, he the said Peter when thereunto required would well & truely the said Thomas for the same content & pay And the said Thomas in fact saith, that trusting to the promise & assumpcon of him the said Peter to him the said Thomas in this behalfe soe aforesaid made, the day & yeare aforesaid att the dwelling house